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Applicant : David Allison Bennett, et al.
Application No. : 09/684,866
Filed : October 6, 2000
Title : Apparatus, Systems and Methods For Online, Multi-Carrier, Multi-Service Parcel Shipping Management
Grp./Div. : 3629
Examiner : Webb, Jamisue A.
Docket No. : PSTM0038/MRK

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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1. Fee Transmittal (in duplicate);
2. Petition for Extension of Time for one (1) month (in duplicate);
3. Request for Continued Examination (in duplicate);
4. Check number 2175 for the amount of \$ 910.00 for RCE and one month extension fees;
5. Amendment and Response to Office Action dated May 4, 2006; and
6. Return Postcard.

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underpayment of fees, which may be required during the **pendency** of this application, to Deposit Account No. 501574. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account.

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Respectfully submitted,
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FEE TRANSMITTAL

For FY 2006

☐ Applicant Claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27**Complete if Known**

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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Small or Large Entity	Small or Large Entity	Small or Large Entity	Small or Large Entity	Small or Large Entity	Small or Large Entity	
Utility	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	
Design	300	150	500	250	200	100	\$.00
Plant	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Reissue	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Provisional	300	150	500	250	600	300	
	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Small or Large Entity	Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
- or HP =	x	\$.00	=	\$ 00.00		
				\$ 0.00		

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20

Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	
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4. OTHER FEE(S)

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Other: Request for Continued Examination

Petition for One Month Extension of Time

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120.00

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